

## FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

## **VIA FACSIMILE**

Internal Revenue Service
Utah Service Center
ATTN: Rod Strickland, Disclosure Officer
P.O. Box 9941
Mail Stop 7000
Ogden, UT 84409

November 10, 1997

RE: MUR 4594

Request for Copies of Form 990

Dear Mr. Strickland:

This is a request for copies of Form 990s, Returns of Organization Exempt from Income Tax, for tax years 1992-97 filed by Chinese Culture (or Cultural) Service Center, Incorporated, 100 N. Beretania St, Suite 302, Honolulu, Hawaii, 96817.

This information is being requested by the Federal Election Commission, an agency of the federal government which has the statutory duty of enforcing the Federal Election Campaign Act. of 1971, as amended. Because this information is being sought as part of an investigation being conducted by the Commission, the confidentiality provision of 2 U.S.C. § 437g(a)(12)(A) applies. That section prohibits making public any investigation conducted by the Commission without the express written consent of the person with respect to whom the investigation is made. You are advised that no such consent has been given.

As this information is being requested by the Commission in connection with its official duties, we also request a waiver of any fees. <u>In addition, we request that you fax this information to us as soon as possible</u>. Our fax number is (202) 219-3923. Please contact me or Nancy Bell at (800) 424-9530 or (202) 219-3400 if you need any additional information. Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,

Xavier K. McDonnell

Attorney

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